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TAGS: CDES, GW (CUMMINGS, CARL SOUTHARD)

SUBJECT: DEATH OF CUMMINGS

REF: STUTTGART 121 AND 135

1. UPON RECEIPT STUTTGART 121 DEPARTMENT SENT CABLE TO DAUGHTER NAMED ON PASSPORT APPLICATION, MRS. D.A. (JOAN) BEACH AT SPARTA, NEW JERSEY ADDRESS (STUTTGART 121). DEPARTMENT TELEPHONED HER 1/29 AND SHE STATED SHE WIRED CONGEN 1/28 WITH INSTRUCTIONS FOR CREMATION AND WOULD WIRE FUNDS TO CHASE BANK, STUTTGART 1/29. IN CABLE MRS. BEACH REQUESTED EITHER SHIPMENT ASHES U.S. OR BURIAL GERMANY DEPENDING ON COST. IN TELEPHONE CONVERSATION 1/29 MRS. BEACH SAID THAT SHE AND BROTHER REALLY WISH DISPOSITION OF ASHES BY CREMATORIUM. SHE HAD NOT REQUESTED THIS IN CABLE FOR FEAR OF SEEMING CALLOUS. SHE INFORMED DEPOFF SHE WOULD SEND ANOTHER CABLE 1/29 REQUESTING DISPOSITION IN THIS MANNER.

2. DEPOFF CONTACTED SON, ALLAN CUMMINGS, 1/29 AND HE AGREED WITH SISTER THAT ASHES SHOULD BE DISPOSED OF BY CREMATORIUM.

3. MRS. BEACH WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HOW DONATION CAN BE MADE
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TO HEIDELBERG FIRE BRIGADE WHICH RESCUED HER FATHER. KISSINGER

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